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Charles W. Knouse et al.

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Examiner: Beemnet W. Dada

Art Unit: 2135

EXAMINER INTERVIEW SUMMARY

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This paper is filed in response to a telephonic Examiner Interview conducted on August 17, 2006 between Examiner Beemnet W. Dada and the undersigned regarding the above-referenced application. As an initial matter, Applicants thank the Examiner for the kind and courteous Interview.

Generally, the Interview was directed to a possible Examiner Amendment. More specifically, Examiner Dada proposed amending claim 61 to include the limitations of claim 62. Furthermore, Examiner Data indicated that this amendment would place all pending claims in condition for allowance. Therefore, the undersigned approves of the

proposed amendment, thanks the Examiner for his careful consideration, and looks forward to receipt of a Notice of Allowance.

CONCLUSION

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 303-571-4000.

Dated: August 18, 2006

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